

ST. LOUIS WINS.

10,000 LIVES LOST

IN TEXAS STORM, RAILROAD OFFICIALS SAY.

700 BODIES FOUND



NEW YORK SHOULD HELP THE HOMELESS PEOPLE OF TEXAS.

The World will gladly receive and acknowledge all contributions of money, clothing and food supplies for the stricken people of Texas. New York, always generous, should do at once all that lies in her power to help the people who have so suddenly lost their homes and all their belongings in our sister State. A great public meeting to express sympathy and to raise all the funds that may be necessary should be held at once.

The World has telegraphed to the Governor of Texas asking what is most at once needed in the way of supplies.

EVENING WORLD WILL SEND MESSAGES TO GALVESTON.

The Evening World will forward messages for all those having relatives or friends in Galveston.

CORPSES FLOATING BY HUNDREDS IN STREETS.

(Special to The Evening World.)

GALVESTON, by special courier to Houston, Tex., Sept. 10.

Galveston is cut off from all communication with the outer world. The island on which it stands is submerged and hundreds of corpses are floating in the streets.

THE MOST RECENT ESTIMATE OF THE DROWNED IN GALVESTON FIXES THE NUMBER AT OVER 2,500.

SIX THOUSAND BUILDINGS HAVE BEEN DESTROYED. A WATER Famine threatens and provisions are scarce. THE SITUATION IS APPALLING.

No relief expedition has yet been able to reach the scene.

Arthur Reedy says that at about 4 o'clock Sunday morning a big ocean steamer sank in Galveston Bay. She flew the British flag.

At the point where the storm was developing into a hurricane she came into the harbor and tried to steam into her wharf, but could not make headway against the storm.

She sprang a leak and her fires were put out. The vessel fell off into the trough of the sea, and a mountain of black water descending upon her, she disappeared. All on board were lost.

The hurricane which struck Galveston at 6 o'clock Saturday evening and lasted until daybreak was similar to that which swept away the entire port of Indianola, Tex., in 1875. It is remarkable that both calamities were predicted by Lieut. Mora, of the Government engineers, forty years ago. The property loss will be \$15,000,000.

The entire new docking facilities of the Southern Pacific, erected at a cost of half a million dollars within the past nine months, are wrecked and worthless. The orphan asylum and both hospitals are destroyed. Yesterday the water was three feet deep in the streets and hotels.

One hundred and fifty sailing craft of all descriptions went down in the terrible hurricane; six ocean steamers are aground in the harbor.

Galveston was in total darkness last night. All steamers were out of order, and drinking water sold at a dollar per pint. Several relief trains started for the scene yesterday, but none could get further than Lamarque. At this point they picked up a number of refugees and took them to Houston.

THIS CITY TO SEND RELIEF

Evening World Will Help Raise Fund—Contributions to Date.

Donated for the Galveston sufferers through The Evening World.

New York, always foremost in humane movements and quick to respond to the cry of distress, was at once moved by generous impulse when the horror of the Texas storm became known here. The collection of relief funds was begun in Wall street immediately upon the arrival of the bankers and brokers.

The first to announce contribution was Jefferson Bellman, of the firm of J. and W. Bellman & Co. He gave \$1,000 and the firm will act as agent in receiving contributions.

Mayor Van Wyck said that New York could be relied upon to do her part in relieving the sufferers.

"I have learned with much pain of the terrible catastrophe in Galveston and throughout Texas," said he, "but until the extent of the calamity is known I can form no opinion as to what course the city should take."

"The sufferers can rest assured of our deepest sympathy and if it is shown that their relief is an urgent necessity they can rely on New York to do her share in aiding them."

"It is too early, however, to make any relief plans here. Perhaps before the day is out we may understand the situation better. It may be, after all, that the sufferers are not in need. I sincerely hope they are not. But if they need help they shall have it and quickly."

The Merchants' Association stands ready, at the word, to forward whatever is wanted in the devastated district.

"I have just telegraphed the Mayor of Galveston asking if the Association can aid the cyclone sufferers," said Secretary William R. Corwin. "I asked whether the most pressing need would be money, food or clothing. If need there is."

"On receipt of his reply, if help is wanted, as I have no doubt, it will be, the Association will at once name a committee of business men from among the firm most especially interested in Southern trade, to arrange for and receive donations of whatever character asked for."

"We can raise several thousands of dollars in short order, I feel assured. We helped the Porto Ricans greatly and relieved the starvation there quickly."

William F. King, the Association's President, will see to the Galveston fund personally.

"Last year the Merchants' Association formed a committee which raised a considerable amount of money for those who were rendered homeless and hungry in the Brazil River district in Texas."

Percent Fifty to Travelers.

The train of the Pennsylvania Railroad, all loaded with relief supplies, is now en route for the stricken city.

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BROOKLYN VS. PITTSBURG

PITTSBURG	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	0—6
BROOKLYN	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	1	0—5

At Philadelphia—First game—Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 0.
At Philadelphia—Second game—End of fifth inning: Philadelphia, 5; Chicago, 2.

KID MCCOY SUES FOR A DIVORCE.

Norman Kelly, better known as Kid McCoy, has sued his wife for a divorce. She filed papers in a counter-suit this afternoon.

CONFESSES AN OLD MURDER.

Peter Austin, who was charged with the murder of Charles Brower, confessed his crime in the Fonguekewick jail this afternoon. Brower's skeleton was found in a deep well on Austin's farm. Austin said he killed Brower fourteen years ago and hid his body. He says he did the murder in self-defense.

NATIONAL AID ASKED FOR BY GALVESTON.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 10.—The following message was received to-day from Mr. Hayes, a newspaper correspondent well known throughout the South:

"HOUSTON, Tex., Sept. 10.—I have just arrived from Galveston by boat. Storm destroyed ten millions of property and fifteen hundred lives lost. National aid asked for."

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 10.—Five thousand lives are now thought to have been lost in the West India hurricane that has left a trail of death and destruction over half the great State of Texas.

Gov. Sayers admits that his conservative estimate of 2,000 dead at Galveston, telegraphed to The World at midnight, may tell only half the terrible truth.

Steamers laden with water and provisions left Houston at daybreak for the stricken city.

The property damage in Galveston is placed at \$10,000,000. Houston suffers a building loss of over \$1,000,000. The destruction of the rice and cotton crop amounts to \$5,000,000. The financial aggregate of the disaster will not fall under \$15,000,000.

(By the Associated Press.)

DALLAS, Tex., Sept. 10.—From Virginia Point north and south along the bay front at such places as Texas City, Dickinson, Hitchcock, Seabrook, Alvin and intermediate points the number of dead bodies gathered up by rescue trains and sailing craft had reached at noon more than seven hundred.

Hundreds have been swept out to sea who never will be accounted for.

The Houston and Texas Central Railroad officials at noon received bulletins from their general office in Houston that the loss of life will reach 3,000 in Galveston.

The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railway offices near Galveston and along the coast telegraphed at noon that the loss of life will not be less than 5,000, and may reach 10,000.

FAMINE AFTER HURRICANE.

A despatch from The Evening World's special courier, who arrived from Galveston at Houston this noon, says:

Estimates of the dead in Galveston now reach 2,500. Six thousand houses have been destroyed. A water famine threatens and provisions are scarce.

Hundreds of corpses are floating in the streets. No relief expeditions have been able to reach the city. The situation is appalling.

A big British steamship foundered in the bay at the height of the storm. A mountainous sea overwhelmed her, and she was seen to vanish in the waters.

About 150 sailing vessels of every description were wrecked and six big steamers are ashore in the bay.

To add to the horror the whole city was in darkness last night and water was selling at \$1 a pint.

Quick relief is needed and The Evening World will receive contributions of money, clothing and food for the stricken people. Gov. Sayers has been asked what is most required.

PARTIAL LIST OF THE DEAD IN TEXAS.

GALVESTON, Sept. 10.—The following is a partial list of the dead:

STANLEY E. SPENCER.
RICHARD L. LORD.
CHARLES KELLNER.
Mrs. GARY BURNETT and child.
Mrs. JUDSON PALMER, wife of the Secretary of the Y. M. C. A.
Mrs. P. LEVINE and six children.
Mrs. JOHN BOONE and three children.
Capt. PIX and family.
Dr. SAWYER.
Mrs. M. J. O'KEEFE.
JOE M. M'NAMARA.
Mrs. CLAUDE FORDTRAM.
Mrs. SARAH SUMNER.
Mrs. GEORGE REED.
Mr. and Mrs. JOHN BECKER and four children.
ROSENBERG, Tex. Sept. 10.—The dead here as far as learned are:
Rev. Mr. WARREN.
Mrs. L. J. CANTRELL.
—HERMAN.
RICHMOND, Sept. 10.—Names of those killed here are as follows:
HENRY RANDOM and his two children.
LETTIA, Sept. 10.—The only person killed here was:
Mrs. SOPHIA SCHULTZ.

GALVESTON LOOKS LIKE BOMBARDED CITY

This Official Report Says 200 Bodies Were Counted from a Train—Terrible Scenes.

(Special to The Evening World.)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—The Weather Bureau has received two despatches from G. L. Vaughan, the Western Union Telegraph Company's manager at Houston, Tex. They are both dated yesterday. The following message was received shortly after 9 o'clock this morning:

"First news from Galveston just received by train, which could get no closer to the bay shore than six miles, where the prairie was strewn with debris and dead bodies. About two hundred corpses counted from train. Large steamship stranded two miles inland. Nothing could be seen of Galveston. Loss of life and property undoubtedly most appalling. Weather clear and bright here with gentle southeast wind."

G. L. VAUGHAN.

The first message was received between 2 and 4 o'clock this morning. It is dated the 9th, and is as follows:

"Hurricane velocity from 40 to 60 miles per hour prevailed from 10 P. M. last night until 9:30 A. M. to-day. Great local damage. City looks like was bombarded by artillery. We have been unable to hear word from Galveston since 4 P. M. yesterday, when wind was blowing 10 miles per hour and water all over city. From best obtainable information storm extended 15 miles north, 40 miles west and 40 miles east of here."

A Convenience to Travelers.

The Pennsylvania Railroad, West 224 St. Station, Galveston, to all hotels. Call 22 St. from all parts of the city.